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The attached Form PTO-1449A lists several references for consideration in the examination of the above-identified application. In accordance with current USPTO procedures published 05AUG2003, in 1276 OG 55, copies of the U.S. patent documents cited in the form 1449A are not attached. The undersigned would be happy to provide copies of these references if requested. It is requested that these references be considered by the Examiner and officially made of record in

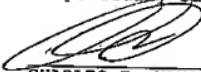
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